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Applicant(s) : YOSHIKI NAKAGAWA, ET AL
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The above-identified application has been assigned Patent No. 6,689,842 and an issue date of February 10, 2004.

It is hereby directed that this application be withdrawn from issue at the request of the applicant.

Do not refund the issue fee.

The following erratum should be published in the Official Gazette if the above-identified application is published in the OG of February 10, 2004:

"All reference to Patent No. 6,689,842 to YOSHIKI NAKAGAWA, ET AL of JAPAN for PROCESS FOR PRODUCING BRANCHED POLYMER AND POLYMER appearing in the Official Gazette of February 10, 2004, should be deleted since no patent was granted."

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